

BEFORE THE DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
STATE OF UTAH

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IN THE MATTER OF TENTATIVE
DECISION TO APPROVE A NOTICE
OF INTENTION TO COMMENCE LARGE
MINING OPERATIONS FOR DESERT HAWK
GOLD CORPORATION, KIEWIT PROJECT,
TOOELE COUNTY, UTAH

NOTICE OF TENTATIVE
DECISION TO APPROVE

NO. M/045/0078

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Notice is hereby given by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining of its tentative decision to approve the Notice of Intention to Commence Large Mining Operations (Notice) for the Kiewit Project. Mining activities will affect the following area: South ½ of Section 13, Section 24, and the North ½ of Section 25, Township 8 South, Range 18 West; and Section 19 and the North ½ of Section 30, Township 8 South, Range 17 West, SLBM, Tooele County, Utah. A copy of the Notice is available for public inspection at the Division's public information center.

Any person or agency aggrieved by this tentative decision may file a written protest within thirty (30) days of the date of publication to Dana Dean, P.E., Associate Director of Mining, Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210, Box 145801, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801, setting forth factual reasons for the complaint.

DATED THIS 3rd day of October, 2012

STATE OF UTAH
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING



Dana Dean, P.E.
Associate Director, Mining

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Tentative Decision to Approve the Large Mining Notice of Intention for Desert Hawk Gold Corporation, Kiewit Project M/045/0078 to be sent via facsimile, electronic mail, or mailed by first class mail, postage prepaid, the 3rd day of October, 2012 to:

FACSIMILE: 801-257-8525
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90 South 400 West, Suite 700
Salt Lake City, Utah 84101

FACSIMILE: 435-882-6123
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Tooele Transcript-Bulletin
58 North Main Street
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Tooele, Utah 84074

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Wendover Times
335 East Airport Way
PO Box 805
Wendover, Utah 84083

CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT
70110110 0001 3568 0239

Desert Hawk Gold Corporation
7115 North Division Street Suite B #351
Spokane, Washington 99208

CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT
70110110 0001 3568 0222

Stephen Allen
Bureau of Land Management
440 West 200 South, Suite 500
Salt Lake City, Utah 84101

CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT
7011 0110 0001 3568 0246


Tooele County Planning Commission
47 South Main, Room 113
Tooele, Utah 84074

CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT
7011 0110 0001 3568 0260

Moeller Family Trust
80 West Canyon Creek Road
Alpine, Utah 84004

CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT
7011 0110 0001 3568 0253

Clifton Mining Company
80 West Canyon Creek Road
Alpine, Utah 84004



Emily Berry, Secretary
M/045/0078